Executive Proclamation
State of South Dakota
Office of the Governor

Whereas, South Dakota was founded with hard work, perseverance, dedication to duty, and concern for others; and,

Whereas, Dorothy has given over 42 years of dedicated federal service with the USDA Rural Development office, formerly known as the Farmers Home Administration, beginning her career in the Yankton office, transferring to the Vermillion office, holding various positions including county office clerk, county office assistant, county program technician, and her most recent position as Rural Development Technician; and,

Whereas, Dorothy is an active member of the agency support group, the South Dakota Association of Support Personnel, and her membership will be dearly missed; and,

Whereas, Dorothy has distinguished herself as one of the most respected Rural Development Technicians in the agency because of her knowledge of the regulations, attention to detail, and high level of admiration from all her colleagues; and,

Whereas, Dorothy and Gary Wright have enjoyed many years of marriage, during which they raised two wonderful children, Tamara and David, and will now have more time to visit them in Arizona and Washington, respectively; and,

Whereas, It is fitting and proper as Governor to make special note of this outstanding South Dakotan on the momentous occasion of her retirement:

Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim September 30, 2004, as

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in South Dakota, and I join her colleagues, friends and family as they recognize Dorothy for her commitment to a successful career and extend best wishes for a healthy and happy retirement.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Fifteenth Day of September in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Four.

M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:

Chris Nelson, Secretary of State